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REPLY

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES

In reply to the Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequences And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated November 15, 2001, in the above-captioned application, please enter the following amendments and Remarks as follows:

In the Specification

Please delete the nucleotide sequence listing in Table 2 on pages 18-20.

Please add, on page 18, the following sequence listing in compliance with 37 $C.F.R.\ 1.821-1.825$, as required by the Patent Office to correct formalities. No new matter has been added.